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TRANSMITTAL OF APPEAL BRIEF AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)		Docket Number: 1662/54902	
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Invention Title CRYSTALLINE VENLAFAXINE BASE AND NOVEL POLYMORPHS OF VENLAFAXINE HYDROCHLORIDE, PROCESSES FOR PREPARING THEREOF		Inventors Dolitzky <i>et al.</i>	

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Sir:

1. Applicant hereby requests a further one-month extension of time for submitting the Appeal Brief. The first extension of time for one (1) month was submitted on August 29, 2005. The second extension of time for three (3) months was submitted on December 2, 2005. The extended period for an additional one (1) month extension of submitting the Appeal Brief expires on February 1, 2006.
2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. 41.20(b)(2) Appeal Brief fee of **\$500.00** and the 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) one month extension fee of **\$570.00** to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**, deposit account number **11-0600**.
3. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

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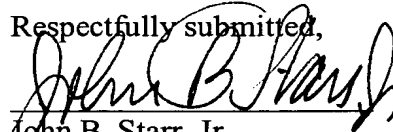
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